Minutes Small Business Compliance Advisory Panel Tuesday, April 24, 2007

In Attendance:

Paul Glauser, Staker and Parsons Companies Brad Overmoe, Red Hanger Cleaners Marie Marshall, Chamber East Chamber of Commerce Mark May, May Foundry Bryce Bird, Division of Air Quality

Eileen Brennan, Division of Air Quality Jay Morris, Dvision of Air Quality Greg Sorenson, Division of Air Quality Renette Anderson, Department of Environmental Quality

Excused:

Don Lewon, Utah Metal Works Kevin Hooper

Approval of Minutes

Brad Overmoe made a motion to accept the minutes of the January 16 meeting. Paul Glauser seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

Upcoming MACT Changes

Eileen Brennan, Air Quality MACT coordinator, told members that three of the six new MACTs would not impact Utah businesses. These included:

- Acrylic and Modacrylic Fibers Production
- Carbon Black Production
- Chemical Manufacturing: Chromium Compounds

Business which fell under the remaining three MACTS were proposed to be exempt from Title V (unless something else draws the source in). The rule covered new and existing sources. These MACTS were for:

- Flexible Polyurethane Foam Production and Fabrication
- Lead Acid Battery Manufacturing
- Wood Preserving

Eileen walked members through a handout outlining the new standards for each. There are no new requirements. Instead, the rule formalizes what impacted industries should do.

Climate Change Update

Paul Glauser told CAP members who were not at the last meeting that the Governor has established a Blue Ribbon Advisory Council (BRAC) on Climate Change and to support that effort, Air Quality established a Climate Change Stakeholder Work Group (SWG).

The BRAC would be the decision group; the SWG would be pulling together research and looking at what is going on in Utah. Paul was asked to sit on the SWG to represent small business.

Recently, the SWG took the 207 policy options under consideration and streamlined those down to 90. Then those 90 options were divided by sector – Agriculture/Forestry, Cross-Cutting, Energy Supply, Residential/Commercial/Industrial, and Transportation/Land Use. Five sector groups are now looking at each of these areas and filling in information on emissions reduction potential and cost so that decisions can be made. Paul gave the CAP copies of handouts listing the 207 items and the 90 consolidated items.

Paul said his group was looking at ways the commercial/industrial sector could help solve the problem of CO emissions. Mark May said he had spent a couple of weeks in Greece and Italy, In Athens, its rare to see a single family dwelling or multi-family dwelling without solar hot water heating. In Italy, when a taxi or bus pulls up to wait, the engine is shut off. Paul said the free market system dictates the cost of energy. He would like to come up with ways we don't have to issue mandates but that we do things because they are the right things to do. Trucks – don't allow to go over 60 miles per hour.

Compliance Update

Bryce reviewed compliance summaries from recent months.

Regulatory and Outreach Update

Greg Sorenson told the CAP about two proposals from EPA:

- Hospital/Medical/Infectious Waste Incinerators Proposed revisions released on February 2007.
- Risk and Technology Reviews for 22 Industry Sectors An Advanced Notice of Proposed Rule making (ANPR).

Greg is dropping off copies of "Preventing Asbestos Exposure Among Brake and Clutch Repair Workers" at auto repair shops.

Greg presented a copy of the SBO/SBEAP 2006 annual report

Other Issues

Don Lewon's term on the CAP is expiring. Members were asked to get any suggestions to Renette. Marie Marshall, who was originally appointed to fill an unexpired term, will be recommended for her own term.

The SBO/SBAP conference is June 18 through 21st in St. Paul, Minnesota. DAQ will pay for one CAP member to attend. Those interested should let Renette know ASAP.

Bryce was asked whether the legislature authorized funds for needed PM2.5 work. He reported that the Division get \$1.5 million established. In addition, a task force has been impaneled to look at ongoing funding mechanisms.

Next Meeting

The next meeting will be held on August 7.